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In re application of:

Shunichi SEKI, et al.

Serial No: 09/297,483

Filed: July 19, 1999

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Art Unit 1762

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status has been claimed. See 37 CFR § 1.27.
- ☐ A certified copy of ___ Patent Application No. ___ filed ___ from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 is enclosed.
- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement/Form PTO-1449 are enclosed.
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 AND
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office action dated February 21, 2003, please enter
and consider the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.